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light. These places are not antagonistic to gospel truths. Men are there clamoring for the truth. Ten thousand young men in our land today are ready to devote their lives to the cause, but the church is backward in saying "go." The work of missionaries in the past has been magnificent. Romance has no more thrilling tales of self-sacrifice than has the history of foreign missions. The work must be kept up. Speed the gospel in its work of elevating and polishing the rough germs of humanity found beyond the sea. The Master calls us to "go."

"Be swift my soul to answer him, Be jubilant my feet."

Rev. Edw. Eccleston, financial agent of Albany college, occupied the pulpit at the First Presbyterian church Sunday evening. His discourse had for its text "For the kingdom of God is not meat and drink, but righteousness and peace and joy in the Holy Ghost."

When Paul went out into the world to preach the gospel he found the prevailing philosophy everywhere taught, that every man had it in his own power to win his way into heaven. He tells the people that perfection is not attained by action alone. Salvation does not mean doing something, but being something. Look at the fruits in our own hearts and lives, then preach it to in the world. The kingdom of God in the heart is a condition, a state, in our inner self. The philosophy Paul confronted can paint beautiful pictures, but they are lifeless. Christ represents more than a spotless appearance. Standing in the presence of God, we must stand in the beauty of Jesus Christ. That which God looks upon with benignancy and love is that which has been purified by the spirit. Christ comes to stand between us and God, making that which is imperfect perfect. Moody once said to a congregation of children, "There is nothing that God cannot do." A boy answered, "Yes, there is," and, being asked what he meant, said: "God cannot see my sins when they are covered by the blood of Jesus." It makes us very careful in our estimate of ourselves when we realize that is God who is the judge. Let us ask ourselves "In the vineyard of God are we tilling and cultivating, or are we hiding, slothful servants, from the Master?" Some one may say "I am not fit to do the work of the church, my hands are not clean." It is true, but there is the altar. There are angels from heaven to touch the hearts and make fit for the kingdom. As we think of our boundless opportunities we may feel that there is no mountain height of christian perfection we cannot scale. But there are heights rising above heights and we shall not be perfect even as Christ is perfect until we pass through the gates and stand in the presence of the Holy one. Our righteousness is our relation

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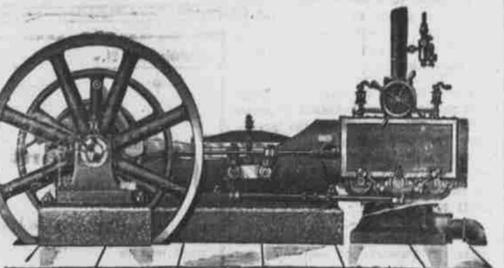
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He names as witnesses: William E. Burke, Millard F. Culver, Andrew D. Rockefeller, Jasper N. Fowler, all of Portland, Multnomah County, Oregon.

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CONTEST NOTICE.

Department of the Interior, United States Land Office, Oregon City, Oregon, September 8, 1899.

A sufficient contest affidavit having been filed in this office by W. G. Howell, contestant, against homestead entry No. 1161, made October 26, 1895, for the NE 1/4 section 8, township 11 N., range 10 W., by Ole Peter S. Axdal, contestee, in which it is alleged that "said Ole Peter S. Axdal has wholly abandoned said tract; that he has changed his residence therefrom for more than one year since making said entry, that said tract is not settled upon and cultivated by said party as required by law and that said alleged absence from the said land was not due to his employment in the army, navy, or marine corps of the United States as a private soldier, officer, seaman or marine, during the war with Spain, or during any other war in which the United States may be engaged." Said parties are hereby notified to appear, respond and offer evidence touching said allegation at 10 o'clock a. m., on October 23, 1899, before the Register and Receiver at the United States Land Office in Oregon City, Oregon.

The said contestant having, in a proper affidavit, filed September 1, 1899, set forth facts which show that after due diligence personal service of this notice can not be made, it is hereby ordered and directed that such notice be given by due and proper publication.

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F. J. CARNEY, Administrator of the above entitled estate.

Dated at Astoria, Oregon, this 25th day of August, 1899.

SHERIFF'S SALE.

By virtue of an execution issued out of the Circuit Court of the State of Oregon for the County of Clatsop on the 21st day of September, 1899, upon a judgment rendered therein on the 15th day of September, 1899, in favor of J. T. Ross, J. E. Higgins, H. C. Thompson and E. Z. Ferguson, partners doing business under the firm name of Ross, Higgins & Co., plaintiffs against H. Brinkoff and Nina Brinkoff, defendants, for the sum of \$90.13, the costs and disbursements of this suit taxed at \$16.20 and the costs of and upon this writ commanding and requiring me to make sale of the following described real property, to-wit:

Beginning at the southwest corner of the M. A. Burnside Donation Land Claim in sections 18, 21 and 22 in Tp. 3, N. of T. 3, West of the Willamette Meridian, thence east along the south line of said Donation Land Claim 1287.75 feet, thence north 720 feet, thence west 1274 feet, thence south 720 feet to the place of beginning excepting the west 634 feet of the tract above described, excepting also two acres sold by Nina Brinkoff and husband, C. H. Brinkoff, as per deed dated August 2nd, 1898, and recorded August 14th, 1898, in Vol. 24, Page 421, Record of Deeds, all situated and being in the County of Clatsop, State of Oregon.

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THOS. LINVILLE, Sheriff, Clatsop County, Oregon, Astoria, Oregon, Sept. 25th, 1899.

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All of the Clara Houghton homestead claim in section 27, lying north of a line drawn across said homestead from east to west, 31 rods south of, and parallel with, section 27, township 3 N., range 10 W., also that part of P. Callender's Donation Land Claim which lies east of the line of the Astoria and South Coast Railroad, so called, all being situated in section 27, township 3 N., range of range 10 west. Together with the tenements, hereditaments and appurtenances thereunto belonging, all in Clatsop county, Oregon, except therefrom all that portion which lies west of quality creek.

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